## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (MBHB Case No. 10-297)

| In re Application of:  | )  |
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| Robert Frederick Veasey et al.                                 | ) ) Examiner: Stigell, Theodore J. ) ) Group Art Unit: 3763 ) ) Confirmation No.: 7333 |
| Serial No.: 10/820,047   |  |
| Filed: April 8, 2004   |  |
| For: Drive Mechanism Suitable for Use In Drug Delivery Devices |  |
| Commissioner for Patents<br>P.O. Box 1450                      |  |

## GENERAL AUTHORIZATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3)

Sir:

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

The Commissioner is hereby generally authorized under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) to treat any future reply in this or any related application filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefore, and the Commissioner is hereby specifically authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 13-2490 for any fee that may be due in connection with such a request for an extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,

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